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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Previously Presented) A fan housing mounted on a frame of a system, comprising:
a main body having;
a first section of the main body having a through hole;
a second section disposed on the main body, and having a recess aligned with the through hole;
a fixing portion formed in a gap formed between the first and second sections; and
a fastening structure passing through the first section via the through hole, and having one end accommodated by the recess and a part disposed in the gap and having a profile corresponding to that of the gap;
wherein the recess of the second section prevents the one end of the fastening structure from being exposed.

2. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 1, wherein the fixing portion prevents the fastening structure from rotating and limits the position of the fastening structure.

3. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 2, wherein the fastening structure includes a screw and the part is a nut disposed in the gap and having the profile substantially identical to that of the gap, the nut is in aligned with the through hole by the fixing portion, the screw passes through the through hole and engages with the nut, and the first and second sections prevent the nut from moving along an axial direction of the screw.

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4-5. (Canceled).

6. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 1, wherein the main body is rectangular, and the first and second sections, the fixing portion and the fastening structure are disposed at corners of the main body.

7. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 1, wherein the part is a hook passing through the through hole and connected to the gap for mounting the fan housing on the frame in the system.

8. (Canceled)

9. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 1, wherein the main body, the first and second sections and the fixing portion are a monolithic piece formed by injection molding.

10. (Original) The fan housing as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a base at a bottom of the main body, wherein a plurality of ribs or stator blades are disposed between the base and the main body for guiding an air flow.

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11. (Previously Presented) The fan housing as claimed in claim 10, wherein the ribs or stator blades have the same inclined angle.

12-24. (Canceled)